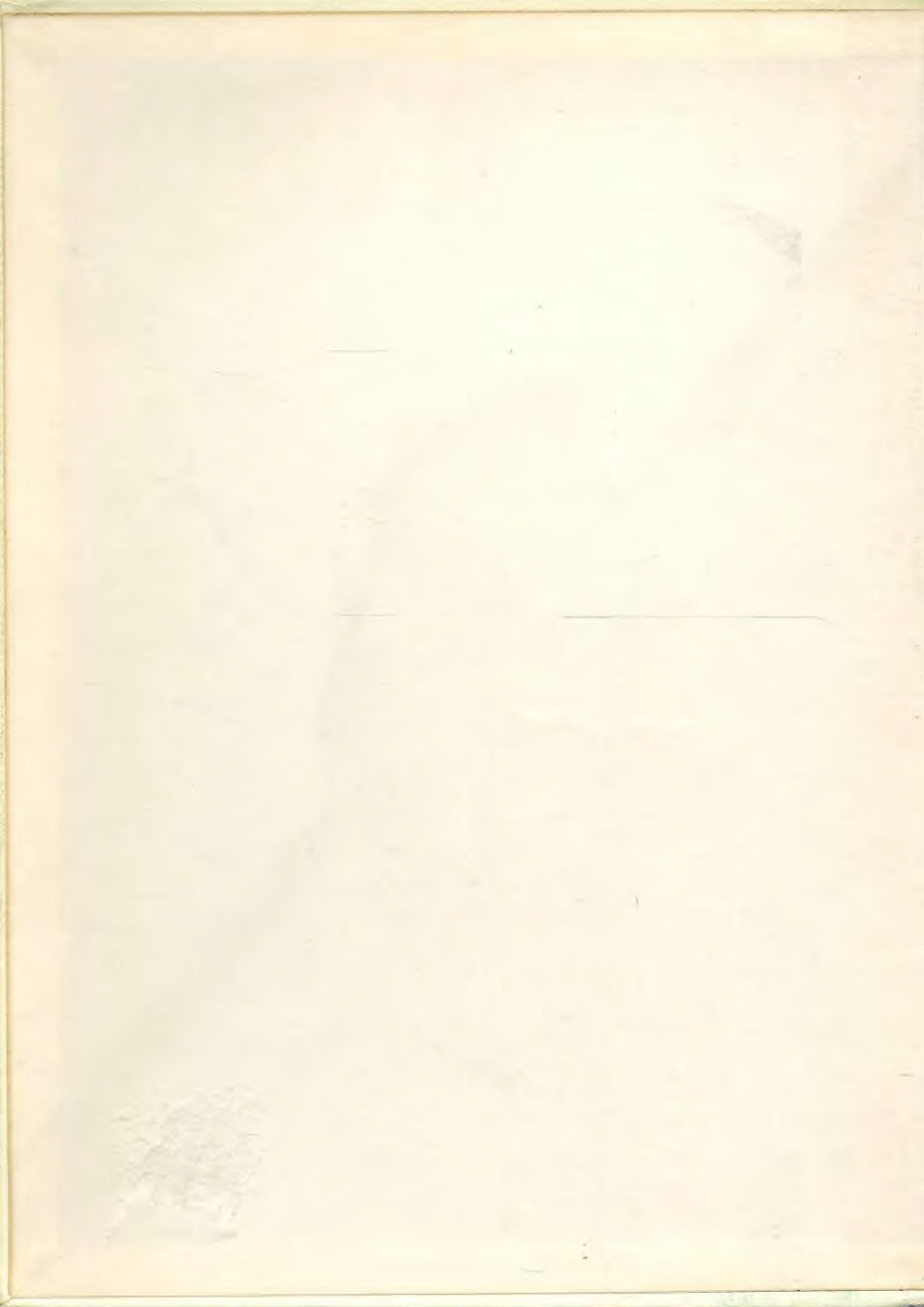


TORCH



1959





Presentation

The Senior Class of

Western Michigan Christian High School

Muskegon, Michigan

Presents

The

Torch

1959

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Foreword

Dear Faculty and Students:

We, the Class of 1959, present this "Torch" to you as a retrospect of our four years here at Western Michigan Christian High School. These years have served as a challenge to expand our minds in the light of God's Word. Being prepared with this education, we can go forward and serve our God and glorify Him in all that we do.

Torch Staff

Dedication



Mr. Boerman . . . for helping us gain a deeper insight into life, for your excellent leadership in directing our senior play and making it a great success, for your wit and geniality, but most of all for your dedication to God and Christian education . . . we, the graduating class of 1959, take great pleasure and pride in dedicating this "Torch" to you.



Administration

*"Wisdom is with the aged
and understanding
in length of days."*

Job 2



Principal's Message

Dear Graduates

Sincere congratulations to each of you on your graduation from Western Michigan Christian High School. Although you may be proud of attaining your immediate goal, the future remains a challenge for further opportunities. When these opportunities arrive **do not pass them by but use them to your advantage.**

Problems and difficulties will arise as you go forth in life. When these arise there will be times when you will need and seek advice. Remember then your Creator, who is always near. Search the Scriptures and you will find an answer. By His Word we can defeat fear and worry, overcome temptations and receive assurance **of salvation by faith in the Lord.**

May the knowledge you have gained here help you to attain the goals you set for yourselves. **Remember, too, the principles you have been taught.** Your goal must always lead toward a life of service for Him. May you always seek His guidance and be a guiding light unto others.

God bless you and help you.

Sincerely yours,

M. Merle Kallemyn

M. Merle Kallemyn, Principal



Standing: Mr. John Kott, Mr. Johan DeYoung, Mr. George Hoebake, Mr. Howard Sieplinga, Mr. Henry Retsma. Seated: Mr. William Bishop, Treasurer; Mr. Jack Tjopkes, Assistant Secretary; Mr. Jay Rop, Secretary; Dr. James Vanderlaan, President; Mr. Gerrit Petersen, Assistant Treasurer. Not Pictured: Mr. John Vokkers, Vice President; Mr. Clo de Weert.

School Board

Dear Christian Graduates:

Congratulations to the Class of 1959! We are sincerely grateful to God for providing the consecrated ways and means of our school and are felicitous in having you as another graduating class. You now become a part in the history of our school.

May you always appreciate and understand the basic principles of a Christian permeated education, fondly remembering those who have instructed you while attending this institution.

It is our prayer you will continue to firmly establish your individual careers in a Christian manner to a life of useful service and the glory of our God.

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Organic Science
Athletic Director



MRS. ALYDA SOVACOOOL
Secretary



Mrs. Alyda Sovacool, our efficient secretary, is greatly appreciated by the students and faculty. She is always willing to help us and is a friend to all.

As We Knew Them

We've got troubles right here in River City



Alright now!



I like corn when it's on the cob



Order please



I know I had that timer
somewhere



OK Gr.

Good night! What's the matter
with me anyway!



Whom are we going to beat?



The quiet type



Today, we'll have a little
written exercise



Open your mouths.



Okay !!!



Well . . . anywho



For some strange reason we don't have a chapel
speaker today



MRS. VRIESMAN, MRS. BOEVE

Soups on and the students come running. These are the two ladies that make the soup. Not that we have soup every day, for they present an interesting array of dinners for us.

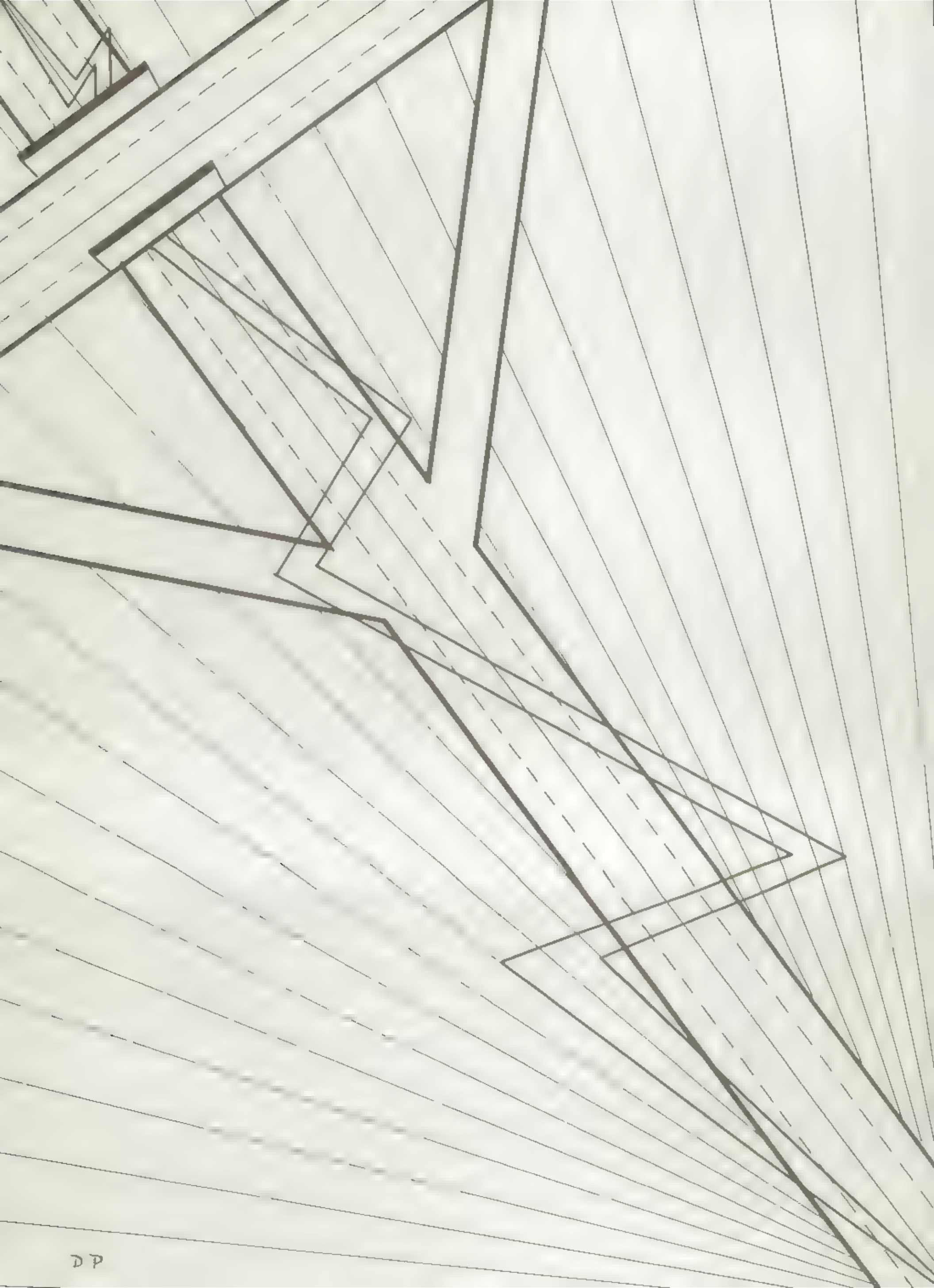
Ernie and Vern may be custodians but they surely do a lot more than is called for. Between helping the cheerleaders, decoration committees for banquets, and keeping the school sparkling clean, they somehow manage to keep quite busy. Thanks a lot!



MR. VERNON HILTZ



MR. ERNEST HACKNEY



Graduates

*"I beseech you to walk worthily
of the vocation wherewith
ye were called."*



Ed Heethuis, Vice President; Marietta Workman, Secretary; Dale Paol, President; Carol Rhadea, Treasurer

Seniors

'For in Him we live and move, and have our very being.'

SHARILYN D. BIEREMA

"Late hours are bad for one, but alright for two."

Fish Market 2,4 G.A.A. 2,3,4 Pep Club
4 Torch 2,4 Classical Records 3 F.A.A. 4
Senior Teacher Biology Club 2 Star Staff
4 Speech Contests 2



ALICE L. BOFSKOOL

"Once in a while she even finds time to go to class."

Star Staff 1,4 — Managing Editor 4 G.A.A.
2,4, Classical Records 3, Speech Contests 2,
Biology Club 2; F.A.A. 4 — President, Pep Club
4, Student Council 3,4 — Treasurer 3,4, Senior
Play Cast, Torch Staff — Literary Choir 3,4, Glee
Club 4, Future Teachers 4



THOMAS J. BROERSMA

"He is willing to be convinced, but find the fellow who can convince him."

B.A.A. 2,3,4, Class Vice President 2, Cross Coun-
cil 4, Band 2, 4 Torch Staff —
Photographer, Basketball 2; Pep Band 2,3



GERALD R. BOSCH

"Every inch a good fellow . . . and oh! so many inches."

B.A.A. 1,2,3,4, Bible Club 4; Future Teachers 1,
Senior Play — Cast





JEANNE L. BUIKEMA

"Some say she's quiet, but others know her better."

Future Nurses 1, 2, 3, 4; Classical Records 3; Choir 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Pep Band 4; Senior Play Cast; Bible Club 4

MARILYN J. BUTER

"Quiet and sincere, but always friendly."

G.A.A. 1; Future Nurses 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3; F.A.A. 4; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Senior Play — Usher



RONALD J. BYTWERK

"The girl that gets me is lucky."

Classical Records 1, 2, 3; Biology Club 2; Promoter 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Bible Club 1; G.A.A. 4; Tennis Club 4; Senior Play Cast



NANCY A. DEKKER

"I love to wind my tongue up and I love to hear it go."

Band 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Classical Records 3; Bible Club 4; Pep Club 4; Vice President, Future Nurses 4; Senior Play — Promoter; Torch Staff — Circulation, Star Staff 3, 4

JUDITH G. DE KONING

"Do you not know I am a woman? When I think, I must speak."

G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Speech Club 3; Classical Records 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4 — President 4; F. A. A. 4; Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Senior Play — Student Director; Speech Contest 2, 3



EDNA DE YOUNG

"Blondes can be manufactured, but red-heads come natural."

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Classical Records 3; Bible Club 4; Choir 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Future Accountants 4



MARY DIFLEMAN

"When two friends get together there's much to talk over."

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Classical Records 3; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Glee Club 4; Choir 3, 4; Senior Play — Cost; Torch Staff — Typist; F. A. A. 4

PETER DIRKSE

"He fears the wiles of maidens smiles."

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Cross Country 4; F. A. A. 2





KENNETH J. DYKMAN

"The opportunity to do mischief for him is found a hundred times a day."

Biology 2, B A A 2,3,4, Classical Records 4, Baseball 3,4

BETTY L. FRENCH

"Always ready with a smile and a helping hand."

G A A 1,2,3,4, Classical Records 3,4, Pep Club 3,4, Choir 4, Girls Glee Club 4, F A A 4



BRUCE J. FISHER

"Women and sports aren't supposed to mix, but I think I've found just the formula."

Class President 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4, B A A 1,2, Classical Records 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3 Student Council 2, Biology Club 2; Choir 3,4 Vice President 4, Boys' Glee Club 4 Glee Club 3,4 Senior Play — Stage Crew



JOHN W. GESINK

"Intelligence and ambition is the road to success."

B A A 1,2,3,4 — Secretary 3; Jots 3, Vice President of Junior Class, Classical Records 2; Senior Play — Cast



EDGAR L. HALL

"I'll study if I feel like it, I won't if I don't; I'll pass if I can, if I can't, I won't."

Choir 3,4, Boys' Glee Club 4, I. A. A. 2,3,4 —
Secretary 2, Classical Records 3,4, Baseball 2,3,4
Basketball 2, Band 2,3, Jets 3



EDWARD J. HELLERIS

girl's."

Deer Creek Basketball 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4 — Co captain
4 Deer Creek Cross Country 4, 9 A A
4 Deer Creek Records 1, 2, 4; Math Science Club
4 Deer Creek Student Body
4 Deer Creek Tech Staff — Sports, Student Council
4 Deer Creek President 3, Bible Club 3, Jets Club 3



ROBERT J. HEETHUIS

"Be sparing of speech and things will come right of themselves."

B A A 1, Classical Records 1,2,3 4

CAROL A. HEYKOOP

"The best of pals for any girl, but she doesn't make girls her specialty"

G A A 1, 3 4, Classical Records 3, Future Nurses
4, F A A 4, Choir 4, Girls' Glee Club 4, Bible
Club 4





MARK F. HOIWERDA

"He is the quiet kind whose nature never varies."

Band 1, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3; B. A. A. 1, 2; Classical Records 1, 4

GARY HUISMAN

"Girls are the least of my worries."

B. A. A. 1; Classical Records 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Senior Play — Cast



RUTH ANN HUIZENGA

"Blushing is beautiful, but often inconvenient."

Future Nurses 1, 2, 4; Classical Records 3; G. A. A. 3, 4 — Treasurer 4; Sophomore Class Treasurer; Pep Club 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Torch Staff — Circulation; Star Staff 4; Choir 4 — Assistant Secretary Treasurer; Girls' Glee Club; Senior Play — Cast



JOAN K. KRAMER

"Deep brown eyes running over with glee."

Future Nurses 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Classical Records 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Senior Play — Cast; Pep Club 3, 4

JEAN LARSEN

"Mind of mine where art thou roaming?"

Chor 3,4, Girls' Glee Club 4, Future Nurses 1,
Biology Club 2, G. A. A. 1,2,3,4, Classical Records
3, Pep Club 3,4, Senior Play — Cast, Torch
Staff — Art, Bible Club 4



JERRY MOLEWYK

"I know a lot; I just can't think of it."

B. A. A. 1, Math Science 3



FLOISE LAWTON

*"She came to us a stranger, but soon be-
came a friend."*

Spring Arbor 2,3, G. A. A. 4, Future Nurses 4

DAVID MULDER

*"Mingle a little folly with your wisdom;
a little nonsense now and then is pleas-
ant."*

Basketball 2,3,4, Classical Records 4





SANDRA PALSROK

"Like so few girls, she has an abundance of natural curls."

Future Nurses 1, Biology Science 2, Classical Records 3, Cheer 3,4, Girls' Glee Club 4, G A A 2,3,4, Pep Club 3,4, Senior Play — Cast

GARY PETERSEN

"I never say much, but who knows what I think."

Basketball 2,3,4, Baseball 2, Future Teachers 4 — Treasurer, Cross Country 4



DALE POEL

"I like a girl with a good head on my shoulder."

G A A 1,2, Biology Club 2 — President, Math League 2, Class Treasurer 1,4, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Tennis 3,4, Advancement Speech Contest 3,4, Scholastic Contest — American History 3



CAROLYN PORTENGA

"A smile for all, a greeting glad, a friendly jolly way she has."

G A A 1,2,3,4 — Vice President 3, Cheerleader 2,3,4, Majorette 3,4, Y Teens 1, Student Council 1,3, Future Nurses 1,4, Biology Club 3 — Secretary, Class Secretary 2,3, Class of Records 3, Pep Club 3,4, Senior Class Play — Makeup, Torch Staff — Literary, Bible Club 4, Choir 3,4, Girls' Glee Club 4

CARYN S. PORTENGA

"Fun is the spice of life and she likes a lot of seasoning."

Cheerleader 2 3 4, Majorette 3,4, Bible Club 3,4
— Secretary 3,4, Quiz Team 3 4, G A A 1,2 3 4
Classical Records 3, Journalism 3, Pep Club 3 4,
Choir 3,4, Glee Club 4



CHRISTINE A. POSTEMA

"I am waiting for the carriage that leads to marriage."

Future Nurses 1,2, G A A 3 4, Pep Club 4, Choir 4,
Senior Play — Cost, Girls Glee Club 4,
Classical Records 2 3



KAREN A. RUTTER

"The unspoken word never does harm."

G A A 1,4, Future Nurses 1,2,3,4, Drama Club 3,
Future Accountants 4, Torch Staff — Typist, Senior
Play — Usher and Flats, Choir 4, Girls Glee
Club 4

CAROL J. RHODEA

"Pep and fun and jollity — a happy personality."

G A A 3 4, Future Teachers 3, Future Accountants 4,
Bible Club 4, Pep Club 4, Senior Play — Cost,
Senior Class Treasurer





JOYSENE SCHUIITEMA

"Where's my comb and mirror? A hair is out of place."

G. A. A. 1, 4; Future Nurses 1, 2, 3, 4 — President 4; Biology Club 2; Classical Records 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Choir 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Chronicle Reporter 4; Senior Play — Cast; Scholastic Meet 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Pep Band 2

ARTHUR E. SIKKENG

"Classes make me sleepy and I need my sleep"

B. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Classical Records 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play — Stage Hand



DONALD J. SLATER

"Automobiles continue to be driven at just two speeds — lawful and awful."

Bible Club 4



JEAN C. SOUTHLAND

"Her future is well planned and I think it includes a man"

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Choir 3, 4; Classical Records 3, 4; Senior Play — Cast; Future Accountants 4

KAREN F. SOUTHLAND

"Who said blondes aren't friendly."

Future Nurses 1,2 3,4, Biology 2, Classical Records 3, Pep Club 3,4 Future Accountants 4, Girls Glee Club 4, Choir 4



TRYNETTE A. STEENWYK

"A woman wishes, and believes, and gets it."

Speech Contest 2, Sen or Play — Cast, Torch Staff — Photographer, Future Teachers 2, Drama Club 2, Future Nurses 1,2,3 4



JAMES D. TREGONING

"I believe in conserving energy — especially my own."

B. A. A. 1,2 4, Tennis 1 2 3 4, Classical Records 2,3 4

RUTH M. VANDERLAAN

"There's language in her eyes."

Future Nurses 1, G. A. A. 1,2 3 4, Classical Records 1,2 3 4, Choir 2 3 4, Glee 1,2 3 4, Biology Club 2, Bible Club 4, Future Accountants 4, Sen or Play — Cast and Props, Star Staff 4 — Managing Co Editor.





LIFE D. VANDERSTELT

*"Not bold nor shy, not short nor tall, but
a nice combination of them all"*

Basketball 2,3,4 Tennis 2,3,4 B A A 2,3,4 —
 Treasurer 4 B b e Club 4, Senior Play Lights



NORMAN C. VANDER WEL

"One who knows his rights and sticks up for them."

Student Council 1 Classical Records 1 B.A.A.
Element 4, Home Ec.
Sports, Science-Math 3
Tennis 4, Cross Country 4, Senior Play - Cast,
Boys' Glee Club 4

WARREN G. VANDERWILL

"I'm learning a lot but school interferes"

8 A A 1,2,3 4, Class col Records
all 1,2, Choir 2,3, Biology Club 2,
for Play — Cost



RONALD VAN DYKE

"He stabs at studies like a Private on K. P."

B A A 2.3 4, Choir 4, Classical Records 4, Cross Country 4

SHARON L. VANDYKE

"Here she comes. I hear her giggle."

Speech Contest 2, Band 2,3,4, Pep Band 3,4,
Future Nurses 2,3,4, Treasurer 4, Band Club
3,4 — President 4, Student Council 4, Secretary,
V. T. A. 4, Senior Play — Co.
Editor 4, M.F.A. 2,3, G.A.A. 2,4, Biology



LOIS A. VEENSTRA

"She turns her back on the boys and then runs backwards."

Band 1,2,3, Pep Club 3,4, Pep Band 2,3, Bible
Club 3,4, G.A.A. 1,2,3,4, Future Teachers 3,4 —
Secretary 4, Scholastic Meet 1,2,3, Senior Play —
Flats



PATRICIA E. VENEMA

"Quiet and unassuming, she accomplishes her purpose."

Future Nurses 1,2,3,4, Biology Club 2, G.A.A. 4,
Classical Records 3, Scholastic Meet 3, Bible Club
3,4, Pep Club 3, Senior Play — Flats

LOIS J. VLASMA

"She has a quiet look but looks are deceiving."

Band 1,2,3,4, Scholastic Meet 3, Pep Band 1,2,3,4,
G.A.A. 1,2,4, Future Nurses 3,4, Classical Records
3, Bible Club 3, Biology 2, Future Teachers 1,
Senior Play — Flats, Torch Staff — Literary, Pep
Club 3,4





PAUL W. WAGENMAKER

"Everything comes to him that waits . . ."
Basketball 1; Math Science 3; B A A. 1,2,3,4,
Classical Records 1,2

DAVID C. WEESIES

"I did know but I've forgotten."
B A A. 1,2,3, Math Science 3; Senior Play — Cast



LARRY E. WEESIES

*"A bit bashful, a bit shy, you couldn't
find a nicer guy."*
Student Council 3,4 — President 4; Basketball
1,2,3,4 — Co Captain 4; B A.A. 1,2,3; Junior
Cast President



MARCIA K. WILDEBOER

"She looks like someone else we know."
Future Nurses 1,2,3,4; G A A. 1,2,4; Biology Club
2; Classical Records 3; Pep Club 3,4; B Fie Club
4; Senior Play — Cast

MARY A. WILDFOER

"As turns are so is she."

G. A. A. 1,2,3,4; Future Teachers 1,3,4; Biology Club 2; Pep Club 3,4; Bible Club 4; Senior Play — Prompter



WILLIAM C. WOLFFIS

"The light that lies in women's eyes has been my heart's undoing."

B. A. A. 1,2; Tennis 1,2,3,4; Classical Records 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 4; Senior Play — Cast; Choir 4; Boys' Glee Club 4



DORENE K. WORKMAN

"When she fell, she fell hard."

G. A. A. 1,4; Future Nurses 1,2,3,4; Bible Club 3,4; Biology Club 2; Classical Records 3; Star Staff 4; Torch Staff — Literary; Senior Play — Makeup; Choir 2,3,4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Scholastic Meet 2

MARIETTA J. WORKMAN

"Without music, life would be a mistake."

Freshman Class Treasurer; F. A. A. 1,2,3,4; Journalism 1; Star Staff 1,2; Forensic Award 1,2; Student Council 2; Biology Club 2; Choir 2,3,4 — Secretary Treasurer 4; Pep Club 3,4; Classical Records 3,4; Drama Club 3; Bible Club 4; Senior Class Secretary; Senior Play — Cast; Torch Staff — Typist; Girls' Glee Club 4





PAUL E. ZETTERHOLM

"Women upset everything."

Freshman Class Secretary, Speech Contest 3,4, B A A 1,2,3; Drama 3, Biology 2, Classical Records 1; Torch Staff — Editor; Star Staff — Editor 3,4, Scholarship Contest 2,3, Radio Station 4, Sports Reporter for Chronicle 3,4, Senior Play — Cast; Student Librarian 3,4



MARILYN K. ZUIDEMA

"It's not what you do, it's what you get away with."

Future Nurses 1; G A A 1,2,3,4 — Treasurer 2, Band 1,2,3, Pep Band 1,2,3, Biology 2, Choir 3,4, Classical Records 3,4, Pep Club 3,4, Bible Club 4, Star Staff 4, Drama Club 3; Torch Staff — Business Manager; Future Accountants 4 — Vice President 4; Senior Play — Makeup; Scholastic Meet 2



Who enlisted her?

What happened, Tom?"





VALEDICTORIAN
Joysene Schuitema



SALUTATORIAN
Sandy Palsrok



WITH HONOR

Trynette Steenwyk
Peter Dirkse
Lois Vlasma
Sharon VanDyke
Carol Rhodea

CLASS FLOWER: Pink Carnation
CLASS COLORS: Teal and White

"The Thread That Runs So True"

Halooooooooo . . . down there!



The most fun of the whole play for Jim

All good kids really, except two



Presentation to a splendid director



Snookie, chickie, teacher's coming."



'Hurry up . . . you're on!'



Underclassmen

*"The fear of the Lord
is the beginning
of wisdom."*

Psalms 111-10



Mary Sterenberg, Secretary Ellen Yarrick, Treasurer, Pete Meyers, Vice President
Andy DeBoer, President.

Juniors



JAMES
ACHTERHOF

JOHN
ACHTERHOFF

MARY
ALBERTSON

SANDY
ANDERSEN

BILL
BIEREMA

BARB
BISHOP



WAYNE
BISHOP

JUDIE
BOLEMA

SALLY
BOUWMAN

MARLENE
BYTWERK

APPY
COOPER

ANDREW
DE BOER



JOHN
DE BOER

LARRY
DETERS

JANICE
DE YOUNG

MARILYN
DE YOUNG

CAROL
DIEPHOUSE

DAM
DOBLEN



CHUCK
DYKEMA

LEN
FISHER

PAULINE
FISHER

RUTH
FISHER

JUDY
FLICKEMA

STAN
GALLUP



CHRISTINE
GARVELINK

ARDIS
GROENEVELD

LARRY
HASSELMAN

BARB
HENRICSON

TOM
HOLTROP

RUTH
KATT



HOWARD
KERKSTRA

MARY
KOOL

SALLY
KOH

FRANK
KOWITZ

JOHN
KPOES

EVELYN
KUIJPER



BILL
LEUTSCHER

PETE
MEYERS

TOM
OSSINK

SHERYLL
PETERSEN

AUDRIE
PRINS

MARY
REISEMA



JON
RINGELBERG



PA
ROSE



STEGINK



MARY
STERENBERG



EDDY
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STREETING



ANNA JEAN
SYPERDA



MARLENE
TRAPP



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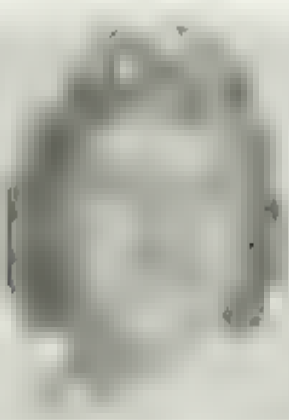
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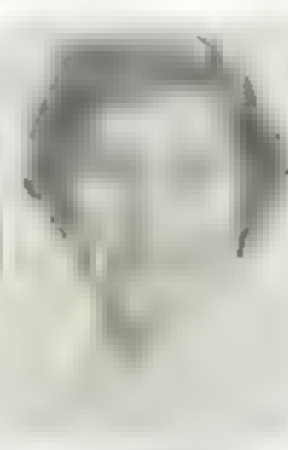
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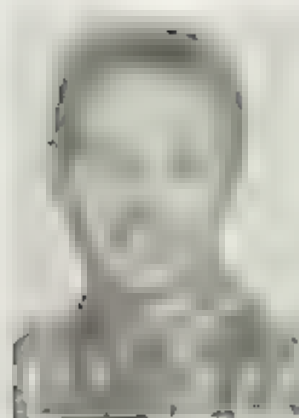


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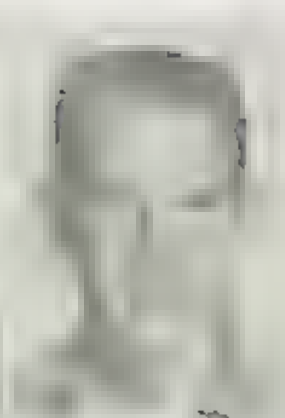


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Breed, President. Standing: Ron Reiser, Treasurer; Sidney Swenson, Secretary.

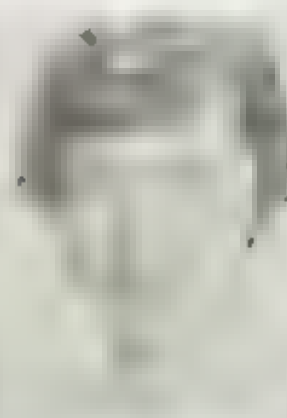
Sophomores



MIKE
ADEMA



CURTIS
ALBERTIE



MARCIA
BARSEMA



MARILYN
BIEREMA



DAVE
BOGEMA



CAROLE
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LUTHER
BRONDYKE



BROOKS



BUIKEMA



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DE WALL



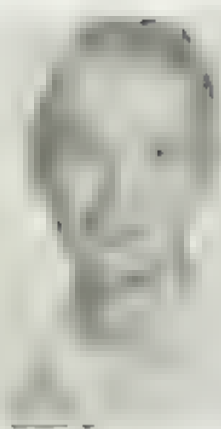
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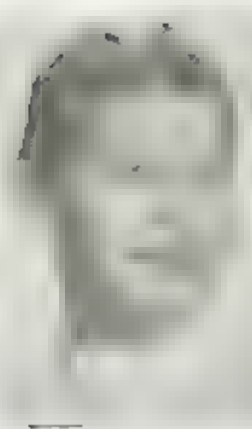
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RON
DOLISLAGER



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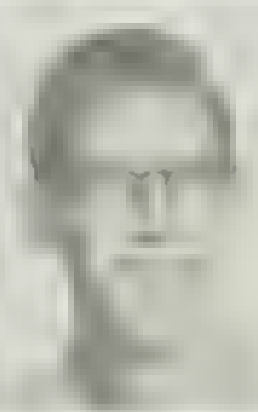
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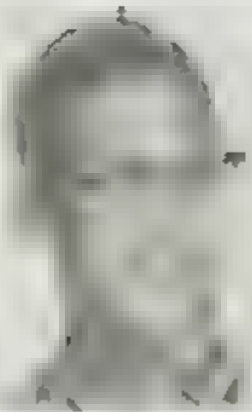
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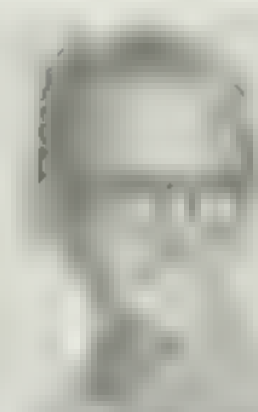
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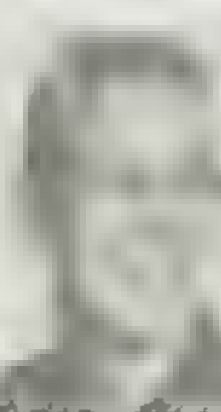
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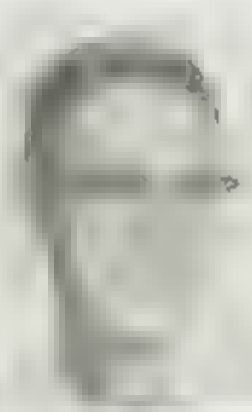
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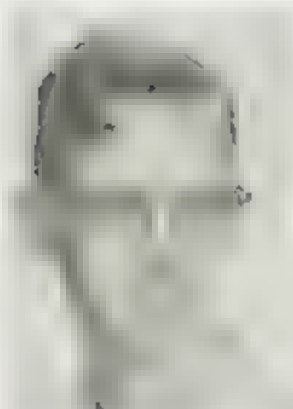
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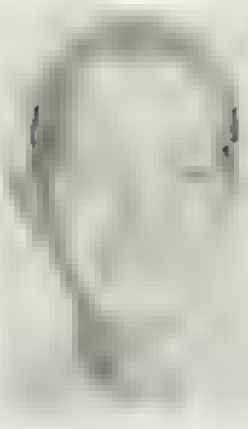
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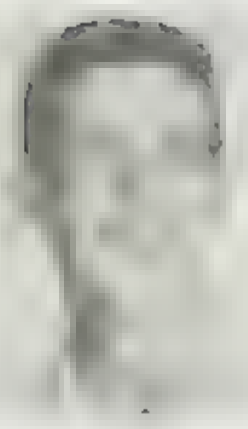
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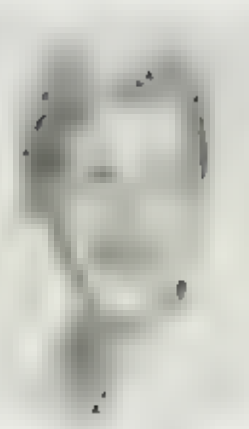
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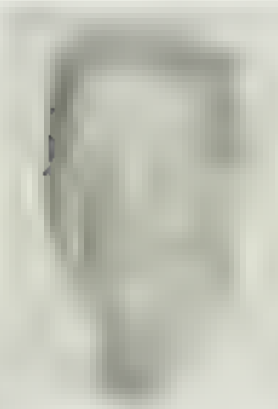
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Camera Shy — Vern Kall



'Spring cleaning, girls?'



"Parting is such sweet sorrow."

Mr. Wolcott's future Warrior!





"A ways playing with blocks!"



"Too bad we can't all be pretty."

"Romeo, Romeo, wherefore art thou?"



"You too, Boo Boo?"





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*"Oh, sing unto the Lord
a new song."*

Psalms 42:10



Chapel



Each morning at 8:30 the entire student body assembles in the gymnasium to open their school day by worshipping their Creator in Word and in Song. It is the belief of all that a better job of school work can be done by students and faculty alike if the guidance of our Heavenly Father is first sought.



JUNIOR GIRLS' TRIO

Judy Flickema, Sally Koth, Chris Garvelink, Carol Diephouse, Accompanist

SENIOR GIRLS' TRIO

Marilyn Zuidema, Dorene Workman, Marietta Workman, Joy Schuitema, Accompanist



SENIOR BOYS' QUARTET

Ed Heethuis, Norm VanderWel, Dale Poel, Bruce Fisher, Sandy Palsrok, Accompanist





First Row: Clarinets — Sharon VanDyke, Paul Hoekema, Dave Dirksen, Wayne Bishop, Judy Tonis, Bass Clarinet — Nan Dekker, Alto Saxophone — Mary Retsma, Flutes — Barb Vanderlaan, Lois Valma, Ruth Fisher. Second Row: Trombones — Mark Holwerda, Paul Velkamp, French Horn — Simon Workman, Cornets — Dan Zuidema, Allen Vassia, Tom Ossink, Bass — Dale Schuitema, Cornets — Wally Vannette, Stanley Heeres, Charles Yurick, Saxophone — Ruth Ann Holwerda, Baritone — Jim Achterhof. Third Row: Bells — Barb Hennricson, Drums — Dave Jasper, Roger Schuitema, Warren VanderWell, Mr. Hoekema, Director.

Band

The new year brought two main changes in our band, the acquisition of a new band director and the chance to practice five days a week, instead of two or three. Mr. Hoekema has done a fine job of molding a good band out of a group of many beginners and few veterans.

They marched in several parades and gave their annual concert in May. The Pancake Supper was sponsored in conjunction with the Choir.



Caryn Portenga, Sally Koth, Janice DeYoung, Kathy Voss, Carolyn Portenga, Audrey Cooper

Majorettes

A new rank has been added to our band this year — the majorettes. This pretty addition led the band down Western Avenue in many a parade.





First Row Mrs. VanHemert Barb Bishop Ann van Syperdo Ellen York Sally Bowman Audrey Piers Betty French Marilyn Zuidema Pete Meyers Edgar Hall Ron Bylwerk Second Row Jean Carren Marietta Workman Marilyn Wexeman Ruth Kall Marilyn Verhoeven Marlene Bylwerk Chris Postma Sally Koth Bill Wolffis Dave Stagink Tom Holtrap Third Row Eunice Vandenberg Lynette Steenwyk Marilyn DeYoung Joann VanGast Karen Ruster Esther Brondyke Marilyn Buler Mary Dieleman Jance Weexas Lorraine VandeWe Stan Workman Roger Grobneveld



Choir



First Row: Chuck Dykema, Gary Huisman, Ed Heethuis, Caryn Portenga, Carolyn Portenga, Sheryll Petersen, Judy Fickema, Sandy Stenberg, Judy DeKoning, Jaan Kramer. Second Row: Art Sikkenga, Bruce Fisher, Bill Leutscher, Alice Boeskool, Sandy Palsrok, Ruth Huizenga, Jean Southland, Mary Stenberg, Nellie VanEysden, Sandy Anderson, Evelyn Kuiper, Maxine Vandertaan. Third Row: Bob Heethuis, Norm VanderWel, Carol VanderJaal, Jude Boema, Edna DeYoung, Dorene Workman, Karen Southland, Jay Schuitema, Carol Heykoop, Ardis Groeneveld, Cara Plug, Lois Weesies.

Due to the increase in membership this year, new white robes were purchased for the boys. Our money making projects included selling cannisters, candy bars, and sponsoring the annual Pancake Supper.

Looking back on a successful musical year, we cherish the memories of our Christmas Candlelight Concert, the Spring Concert, and especially our trip to the Music Festival at Calvin College where we sang in the Civic Auditorium.





First Row: Mrs. VanHemert, Ellen Yurick, Sally Bouwman, Audrie Prins, Sheryll Petersen, Judy Flickema, Sandy Sterenberg, Judy DeKoning, Joan Kramer. Second Row: Chris Postma, Sally Koth, Betty French, Marilyn Zuidema, Ardis Groeneveld, Caryn Portenga, Carolyn Portenga, Nellie Van Eysden, Sandy Andersen, Evelyn Kuiper. Third Row: Barb Bishop, Joan VanGunt, Marilyn Verhaarven, Anna-ann Syperda, Eunice VandeMaan, Ruth Heizenqa, Lois Weesies, Maxine Vanderlaan, Mary Sterenberg, Joy Schuitema, Carol Heykoop. Fourth Row: Marlene Bytwerk, Karen Ruiter, Marilyn Butler, Marietta Workman, Marilyn DeYoung, Alice Boeskool, Marilyn Wezeman, Trynette Steenwyk, Sandy Pasrak, Karen South and Cara Plug. Fifth Row: Jean Larsen, Ruth Kall, Esther Brondyke, Mary Dileman, Janice Weesies, Lorraine VanderWe, Carol Vanderjaag, Jude Boema, Edna DeYoung, Dorene Workman, Jean Southland.

Girls' Glee Club

Under the capable leadership of Mrs. VanHemert a Girls' Glee Club has again been organized this year. The group rehearses once a week as its members pursue their musical enjoyment and de-

velop their singing ability.

The highlight of the year was their appearance in formals at the Spring Concert.



First Row: Bill Wolffs, Chuck Dykema, Edgar Ha, Ed Heith, Pete Meyers, Gary Hasman. Second Row: Ron Bylwerk, Tom Hartrop, Stan Workman, Dave Stegink, Bruce Fisher. Third Row: Roger Groeneveld, Bob Heithuis, Norm VanderWel, Art Sikkenga, Bruce Fisher.

Boys' Glee Club

The Boys' Glee Club is back again after being out of commission for a few years. This year, with Mrs. VanHemert's help, they have performed in the Spring Festival, Thanksgiving Assembly, and

chapel. They meet every Thursday. The greatest thing about Glee Club is that it gives the guys a glorious day to really sing without those silly girls.

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*"Where two or three are gathered
in My name there am I
in the midst of them."*

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Lois Meyering, Secretary-Treasurer; Sharon VanDyke, Secretary; Len Fisher, Vice President; Larry Weesies, President; Alice Boeskool, Treasurer

Student Council

The Student Council, this year, was again under the efficient leadership of Mr. McFall. We were kept busy planning the annual Christmas Banquet, the all school mixer, Twirp Season, and the Chapel services every other Monday.

Each class was asked to present a float at the Homecoming Celebration, also a function of the Student Council. Royal robes and crowns were made for the school's Royalty.

Delegates were sent to the Christian, Regional, and Safety conventions. We also participated in the organization of the Interschool Council of Greater Muskegon.



Roger Siskind, Dan Poe, Mr. McFall, Advisor, Ruth Fisher

Lois Dolisloger, Sheryll Petersen, John DeBoer.



Pat VanderStelt, Charles Yerrick, Linda Bouwman





Seated: Nan Dekker, Art Editor; Paul Zetterholm, Editor
Mr. Meeter, Advisor. Standing: Alice Boeskool and Ruth
Vanderlaan, Managing Co editors



Seated: Dorene Workman, Marilyn Zuidema. Standing
Shari Bierema, Ruth Huizenga, Typists

Journalism

Every six weeks a copy of *The Star*, our school paper, was placed in the hands of eager and writing students. Under the capable direction of Mr. Meeter this activity gave many students the opportunity to express their talents in the field of writing, and expose much of the latest gossip.

Seated: Marlene Buiwerk, John Achterhoff. Standing: Ellen
Rick, Carol Vanderlaag, Judy Boerema, Mary Sterenberg
Reporters



Seated: Jeanne Buiwerk, Sandy Koth. Standing: Maxine
Vanderlaan, John De Boer, Mike Adema, Reporters





First Row: Lorraine VanderWel, Sandy Andersen, Vice President, Gary Petersen, Treasurer; Lois Veenstra, Secretary, Norm VanderWel. Second Row: Miss Kallamyn, Advisor, Nellie VanEysden, Dave Tans, Marilyn DeYoung, Mary Wi de hoer, Mary Petersen. Third Row: Ellen Yurick, Marilyn Wiersma, Alice Boeskool, Ruth Workman, Don Ross, Evelyn Kuiper, Mary Retsema. Not pictured — Ed Heethuis, President.

Future Teachers

This is the second year that high school students have had the opportunity to practice teaching at our grade school. About twelve of our students gave of their study time to relieve the teachers in the lower grades and help those who are slightly behind the others in reading, writing, and arithmetic. Once a month this club has a nightly meeting at which they have speakers and filmstrips.

This club has served its purpose extremely well this year in helping the future teachers on their road to success.



First Row: Betty French, Judy DeKoning, Marilyn Zuidema, Alice Boeskool, Shari Bierema, Ruth Vanderlaan, Pat Rose
 Second Row: Mr. Lanning, Advisor, Jean Southland, Carol Rhodea, Marlene Bytwerk, Mary Ellen Albertson, Marlene Trapp, Janice VanDyke, Marcia Wagenmaker. Third Row: Carol Heykoop, Karen Southland, Mary Dieleman, Judie Balema, Edno DeYoung, Marilyn Butler, Karen Ruiter

Future Accountants

This very active club has toured many different businesses around the Greater Muskegon area. In the offices of these industries the members became acquainted with the work they will be doing in a few years as secretaries and accountants. They also went to the Muskegon School of Business where many of them will take a business course when they graduate.

The club members became better acquainted with each other at their potlucks which were held quite frequently throughout the year.

Alice Boeskool, President; Shari Bierema, Secretary-Treasurer,
 Marilyn Zuidema, Vice President





First Row: Lois Dolstager, Janice DeYoung, Mary Jo Trap, Jan Weesies, Ruth Fisher, Jay Schuitema, Dorene Workman, Sharon VanDyke, Carol Plug, Esther Brondyke, Marilyn Verhaeven. Second Row: Shari Bierema, Caryn Portenga, Marcia Wildeboer, Elaine Lawton, Pat Vanema, Marilyn Butler, Karen Ruiter, Trynette Steenwyk, Donna VanderWel, Mary Petersen, Nancy DeKruyter, Carol Bomgaars. Third Row: Carolyn Portenga, Sally Koth, Mary Bierema, Dianne Rop, Marcia Heeres, Carol VanderJagt, Marlene Bytwerk, Judy Bolema, Ruth Kalt, Pauline Fisher, Pat VanderStelt, Merie Wersema, Lois Meyering, Ruth Huizenga. Fourth Row: Sally Bauwman, Marcia Barsema, Judy Flickema, Mary Sterenberg, Annajean Syperda, Barb Henriksen, Ardis Groeneveld, Barb Vanderlaan, Nancy Dekker, Jeanne Buikema, Karen Southland, Lois Vlaama, Carol Heykoop, Barb Bishop.

Future Nurses

Our interest has been aroused and the challenge is before us to enter the field of nursing. We have gained new insight through the media of field trips, speakers and films. Tray favors at Christmas for Hackley Hospital were on the agenda again this year. Our sponsors, Mrs. Mulder and Mrs. VanDam, chaperoned our skating party.



First Row: Mr. Nyhoff, Advisor, Andy DeBoer, Don Zuidema, Len Fisher, Dave Vandenberg, Bill Leutscher, Pete Meyers, Larry Deters. Second Row: Larry Vanderlaan, Dave Jaaper, Dave Stegink, Bill Berema, Paul Velkamp, Jerry Moirwyk, Jim Achterhof, Don Kowitz. Third Row: Wayne Bishop, Tom Ossink, Paul Hoekema, Ron Dolislager, Chuck Brace, Jon Ringelberg, Pete Mellema.

Jets Club

The JETS Club is comparably new to our school, having been in existence only two years. They have met somewhat regularly this year and have studied some of the more interesting fields of engineering. Their name stands for the Junior Engineering Technical Society. Our club, though new, is quite busy and tries to live up to their name of engineers in the projects they do.



First Row: Lois Dolislager, Judy Kollemyn, Ruth Wolffis, Mary Cooper, Kathy Voss, Johanna Tuuk, Marilyn Wezeman, Marilyn DeYoung, Max Vanderlaan. Second Row: Joan Kramer, Edna DeYoung, Mary Dieleman, Sheryl Petersen, Pauline Fisher, Chris Garvelink, Judy Flickema, Carol Diephouse, Bev Jewell, Sue Tregoning, Pat Venema. Third Row: Betty French, Ruth Vanderlaan, Jean Southland, Joy Schuitema, Sandy Sterenberg, Sally Bouwman, Sandy Anderson, Barb Henriksen, Ruth Katt, Mary Kool, Audrie Prins, Ellen Yurick, Ardis Groeneveld. Fourth Row: Judy DeKoning, Sandy Featherly, Jeanne Buikema, Ruth Huizenga, Dorene Workman, Sandy Palsrak, Caryn Portenga, Audrey Cooper, Mary Albertson, Marcia Wagenmaker, Marlene Trapp, Judy Tanis, Joan VanGunst, Lois Weesies. Fifth Row: Carol Heykoop, Judy Brooks, Noella Westfield, Carol Bomgaars, Sharlene Grinwis, Janita VanDyke, Mary Retsema, Eunice Vanderlaan, Pat Rose, Mary Ann Fisher, Louise Fisher, Donna Doctor, Linda Bouwman, Barb Trap. Sixth Row: Lois Veenstra, Mary Bierema, Maxine Postmus, Shirley DeWind, Lorraine Vanderwell, Verna Dunning, Jane VanDyke, Joyce VanderWal, Judy Workman, Ruth Workman, Carol Saunders, Bernel VanderSlough, Judy Boes, Ruth Anne Holwerda. Seventh Row: Eloise Lawton, Marcia Wildeboer, Carol Rhodea, Alice Boeskool, Marietta Workman, Chris Postema, Jean Larsen, Mary Wildeboer, Nan Dekker, Shari Bierema, Carolyn Portenga, Karen Ruiter, Lois Vlasma, Sharon VanDyke, Verna Meeusen.

Girls' Athletic Association



The Girls' Athletic Association became very active this year. The new members were initiated at a Slumber Party in the gym. The annual Harvest Moon proved to be a real success when the girls had a chance to entertain the boys of their choice. One of the club's many projects was to provide new skirts and sweaters for the cheerleaders. Another project was furnishing the flowers for the homecoming. The club remained very active all year.



First Row: Paul Haekema, Dave Plutschow, Don Hyma, Lee Lawton, Phil DeWall, Roger Schuitema, Lee VanderStelt, Norm Vanderwel, Len Fisher. Second Row: Curt Albertie, Ken Levischer, Bill Heethuis, Chuck Brace, Dave Jasper, Wally Vonnelle, Charles Yurick, Dale Schuitema, Tom Workman, Stan Workman, Daryl Rose, Simon Workman. Third Row: Ron Dalislager, Don Mulder, Al VanderStelt, Dave Hasselman, Stan Heeres, Dave Dirkse, Glen Weesies, Hank Werner, Gary Weesies, Al Vissia, Ed Dauma, Casey VanEysden, Ron Ruiter. Fourth Row: Dave Bogema, Pete Deileman, Mike Adema, Sid Sytsema, Karl Zetterholm, Roger Wagenmaker, Jim Treganing, Warren VanderWell, Bill Bierema, Dave VandenBerg, Tom Ossink, Dan Zuidema, Larry Hasselman, Jim Achterhof. Fifth Row: Ron Retsma, Jay Milkamp, Jay Koels, Pete Mellema, Gord VanHouten, Larry Delers, John Droeze, Howard Kirkstra, Dan Streeting, Lorry VanderLaan, Tom Holtrop, Ron Wibalda. Sixth Row: Gord Katt, Dave Tans, Fred VandenBrand, Jay Tans, Dave DeWall, Al Wagenmaker, Jim Weesies, Dave Stogink, Pete Meyers, Andy DaBoer, Wayne Bishop, Dan Dobben. Seventh Row: Don Retsma, Russ Tuuk, Gord Modema, Ron Postema, Ken Dykman, Ron VanDyke, Paul Wagenmaker, Gerald Bosch, Art Sikkenga, Bill Levischer, Stan Gallup, Paul Veltkamp. Eighth Row: Al Zuidema, Dan Ross, Lorry Stout, Rog Sikkenga, Morris Ringelberg, Ron Wagenmaker, Vernan Katt, Gord Groeneveld, Edgar Hall.

Boys' Athletic Association

An organization in which most of the boys of our school can find a part is the Boys' Athletic Association. The boys also kept their club rolling with many and varied activities. At the beginning of the basketball season they had schedule cards printed and handed out programs at each game. Another project was selling popcorn at the games.





First Row: Lois Dolstager, Judy Bolema, Marlene Bytwerk, Marlene Trapp, Mary Ellen Albertson, Barb Bishop, Barb Henriksen, Ruth Fisher, Joan VanGunst, Patsy VanderStell, Nancy DeKruyer, Shari Bierema, Judy DeKoning, Marilyn Zuidema, Alice Boeskool, Mary Jo Trap. Second Row: Trynette Steenwyk, Pat Rose, Eunice VanderLoon, Pauline Fisher, Sandy Andersen, Judy Flickema, Carol Diephouse, Sheryll Petersen, Marilyn Wezeman, Carol VanderJagt, Ruth Katt, Ruth Workman, Shirley DeWind, Maxine Postmus, Marilyn Bierema, Dianne Rap, Carol Plug, Mary Petersen, Marcia Barsema, Barb VanderLoon. Third Row: Karen Southland, Mary Dieleman, Ellen Yurick, Ardis Groeneveld, AnnaJean Syperda, Lois Weesies, Sandy Sterenberg, Maxine Vanderlaan, Mary Sterenberg, Jan Weesies, Sally Koth, Noella Westfield, Judy Brooks, Merele Wiersema, Janie VanDyke, Judy Workman, Verna Dunning, Lois Meyering, Marilyn Verhoeven, Marcia Heeres, Esther Brondyke. Fourth Row: Edna DeYoung, Betty French, Joan Kramer, Sharon Van Dyke, Nancy Dekker, Eloise Lawton, Jay Schuitema, Ruth Vanderlaan, Audrey Cooper, Janice DeYoung, Sue St. John, Verna Meeusen, Barb Trap, Judy Kallemyn, Judy Tanis, Sue Tregoning, Beverly Jewel, Donna Doctor, Johanna Tuuk, Charlene Grinwis. Fifth Row: Jean Larsen, Mary Wildebaer, Carol Rhoda, Carol Heykoop, Lois Vlasma, Lois Veenstra, Ruth Huizenga, Jeanne Buikema, Marcia Wildeboer, Mary Ann Fisher, Louise Fisher, Judy Boes, Linda Bauwman, Carol Saunders, Bernel VanderTuig, Kathy Voss, Ruth Holwerda, Mary Cooper, Ruth Wolffis, Carol Bomgaars. Sixth Row: Janice VanDyke, Evelyn Kuper, Mary Retsma, Marilyn DeYoung, Darlene Workman, Chris Postema, Sandy Pastor, Marietta Workman, Simon Workman, Tom Workman, Darrel Rose, James Fisher, Rog Schuitema, Hank Werner, Ron Wibalda, Dave Hasselman, Ken Dykman. Seventh Row: Charles Yurick, Stan Workman, Albert VanderStell, Pete Dieleman, Edward Douma, David Jasper, Ron Wagenmaker, Jay Milkamp, LeRoy Lawton, Ron Ruiter, Jim Tregoning, Al Zuidema. Eighth Row: Edgar Hal, Tam Ossink, B. Bierema, Dave Stegink, Stan Gallup, John DeBoer, Don Retsma, Ron Retsma, Rog Sikkenga, Bill Heethuis, Fred VandenBrand, Gord Medema, Dave Tans, Gord VanHouten, Rog Wagenmaker, Don Ross, Larry Stout, Morris Ringelberg.



Pep Club

In their second year of business the Pep Club again has done a good job of keeping the enthusiasm of the school high. They have sent many busses to the out of town games and sold shakers, megaphones, basketball pins, balloons and potato chips at games and during noon hours.



First Row: Joan Kramer, Judy DeKoning, Jean Larson, Mark Halwerda, Dave DeWall, Barb Bishop, Betty French, Martene Bylwerk. Second Row: Curt Albertie, Bill Wolffis, Gary Huisman, Mary Dieleman, Jane VanDyke, Edna DeYoung, Mr. Boerman, Advisor. Third Row: Edgar Hall, Lee VanderStelt, Ken Dykeman, Ron VanDyke, Bob Heethuis, Dave M... Fourth Row: Maxine Postmus, Verno Dunning, Shirley DeWind, Ardis Groeneveld, Sally Kath.

Classical Records

The Classical Records Club met sporadically for the obvious purpose of enjoying good music. One of the club meetings featured a demonstration of high fidelity and stereophonic sound. Several members bought season tickets to the Grand Rapids Symphony and went to the monthly concerts at the Civic Auditorium in Grand Rapids.

Paul Zetterholm, Editor; Mr. Lanning, Advisor
Marilyn Zuidema, Business Manager



Standing: Alice Boeskaal, Assistant Editor; Dorene Workman, Literary; Mary Dieleman
Typist; Karen Ruiter, Typist. Seated: Sharon VanDyke, Literary; Lois Vlasma, Literary
Marietta Workman, Typist



Standing: Ruth Huizenga, Circulation; Art Sikkenga, Advertising; Dale Pool, Advertising
Seated: Nan Dekker, Circulation; Jeanne Burkema, Circulation; Judy DeKoning, Advertising



Torch Staff

The task of collecting the story of our school year was not an easy one. Many a night we "burned the midnight oil" writing articles and laying out the pages. You were our main objective and we hope you like it.



Well, kids, it's all done and so are we. There were many nights spent without sleep on the part of the staff members. We feel, then, that we are justified now in falling asleep if we so desire since the book is all through

Sports — Norm Vander Wel & Ed Heethuis





Tell us more, Sherb

Radio



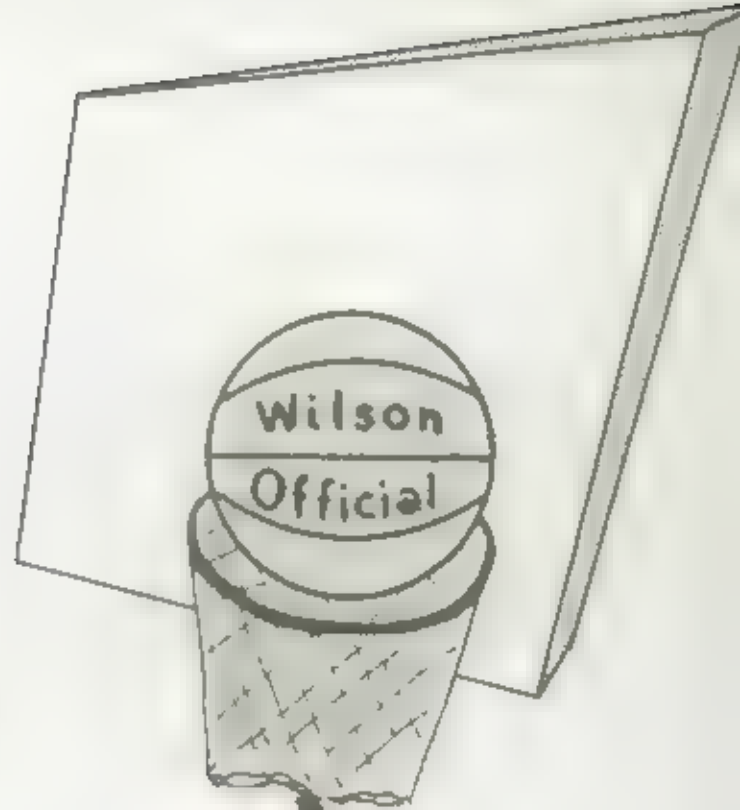
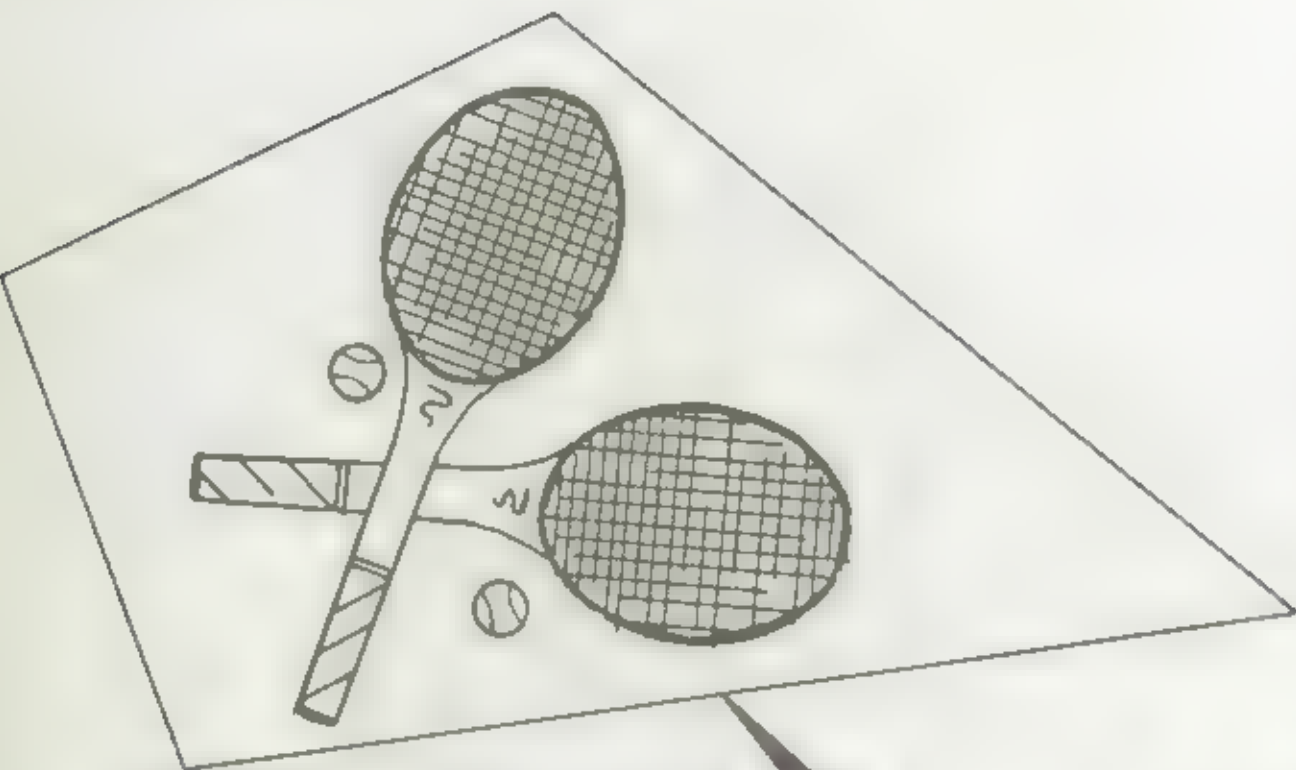
Always ready with latest school news.

Each Monday afternoon, Saturday morning and Saturday afternoon some of the students had a chance to be on the radio. By participating in school news programs at WMUS and WKBZ these students learned more about radio stations and how they operate.

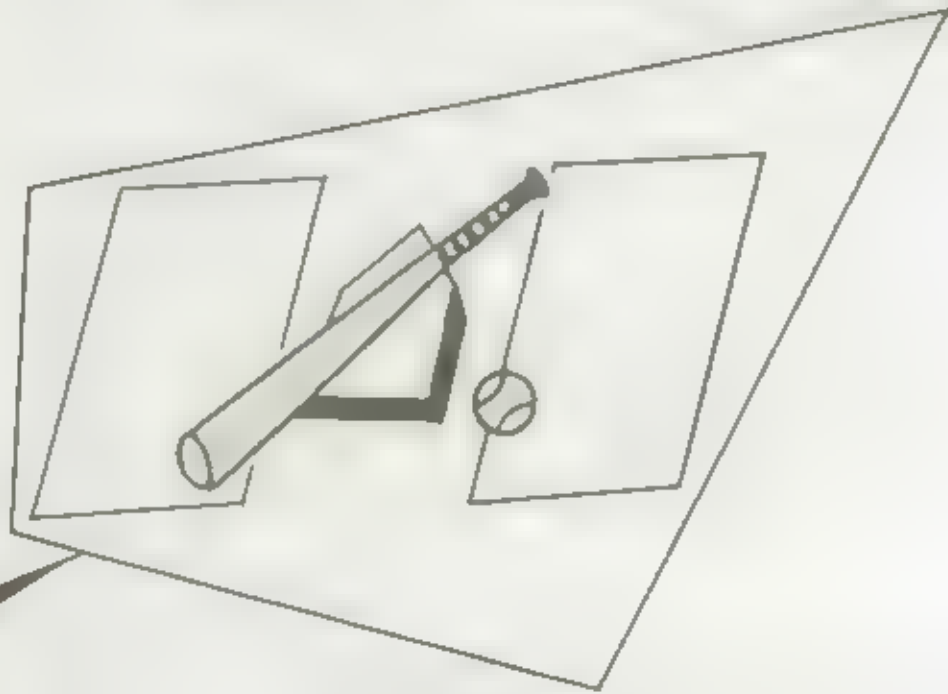
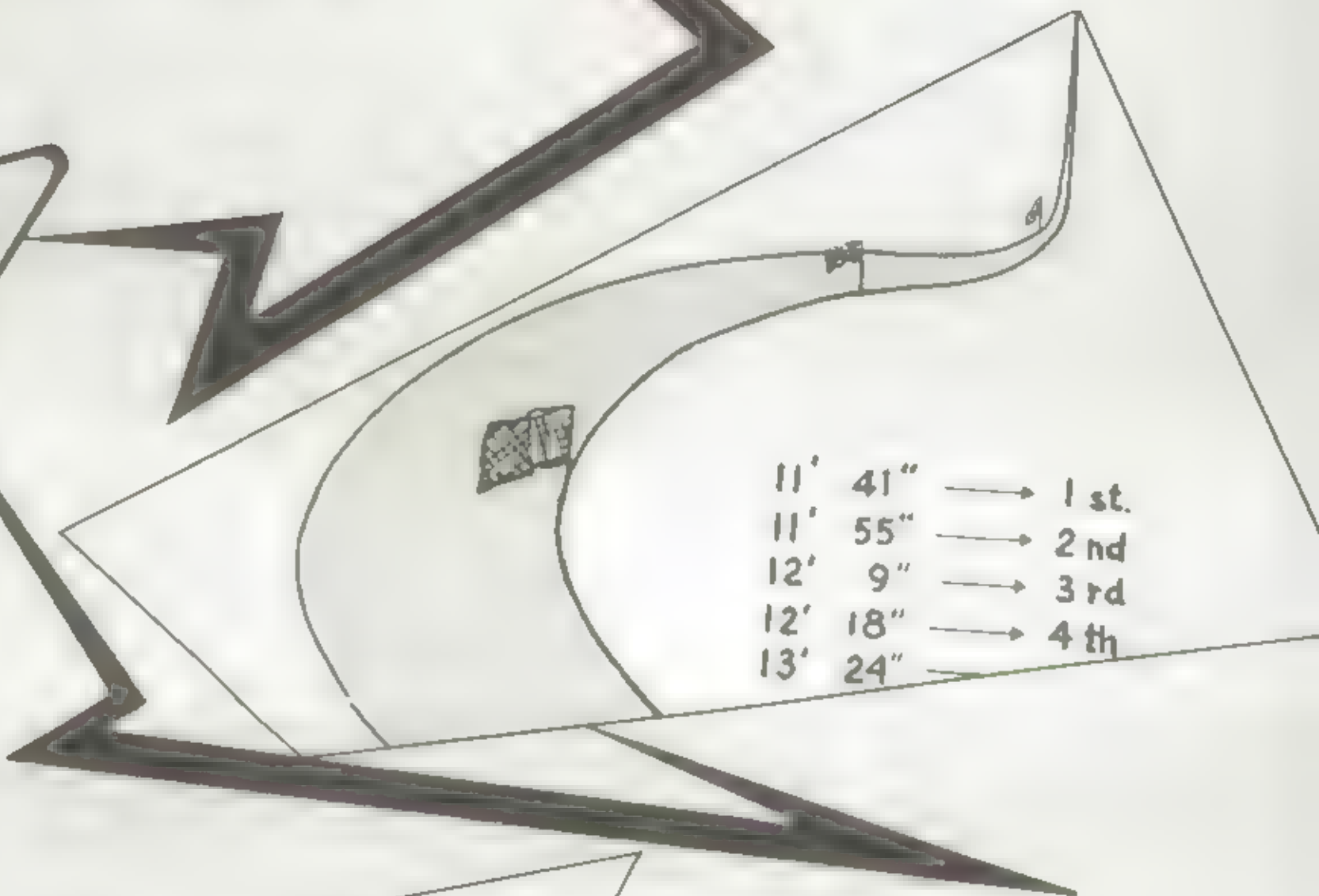


Bible Club

Our Bible Club is affiliated with the Greater Muskegon Youth for Christ. It was organized for the purpose of promoting Christian Fellowship and stimulating interest in service for Christ. Several transpirations were enjoyed by all. Guest speakers, films, and student participations made up our weekly meeting.



COACH
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Athletics

*"An athlete is not crowned
unless he competes
according to the rules."*

II Timothy 2:5



First Row: Dale Pool, Ed Heethuis, Tom Broersma, Pete Dirkse. Second Row
Ron VanDyke, Gary Petersen, Larry Weesies, Norm VanderWel.

Cross Country

For the first time in the school's history we had a cross country team. The Seniors hope they have stirred up enthusiasm to continue the sport next year. The team ran against Holland Christian twice, in the Christian High run; and in the State Tournament at Ypsilanti.



First Row: Mike Adema, Pete Meyers, Don Streeting, Ken Dykman, Tom Ossink, Bruce Fisher. Second Row: Mr. Walcott, Dave Tons, Rog Sikkenga, Jay Tons, Stan Gallup, Tom Holtrop, Pete Dirkse.

Baseball

Our baseball team last year compiled a record of three wins and six losses. The team defeated class A, Muskegon Catholic Central twice, and class A, Grand Haven once. This year the team has seven returning lettermen and they hope to do much better.

April

14	Muskegon	Here
17	Grand Haven	Here
20	Montague	There
21	Muskegon Heights	There
24	North Muskegon	Here
28	Catholic Central	Here

May

4	Montague	Here
11	Catholic Central	There
15	North Muskegon	There
18	Muskegon	There
19	Muskegon Heights	There



First Row: Tom Ossink, Ron Bylwerk, Jim Treganing, Lee VanderStelt, Norm VanderWel. Second Row: Chuck Dykema, Warren VanderWel, Larry Vanderlaan, Bill Wolffis, Dan Zuidema, Dave Vandenberg, Dale Poel.

Tennis



April 16, Muskegon Heights — T
 21, North Muskegon — H
 24, Muskegon — T
 27, Grand Haven — H
 May 1, Muskegon — H
 7, North Muskegon — T
 8, Grand Haven — T
 12, 13, 14, Greater
 Muskegon Tournament
 20, Muskegon Heights — H
 22 & 23, Regional Tournament
 June 5 & 6, State Tournament



Trophies: Greater Muskegon, Regional, State

For the second straight year the tennis team won the Muskegon Tournament and then went on to win the Regional and State Championships. In the finals, Lee VanderStelt beat out teammate Bill Wolffis in the final game while Ron Bytwerk and Pete Musch were runners-up in the State of the Doubles Division. The future for this year looks good with eight lettermen returning.

Varsity



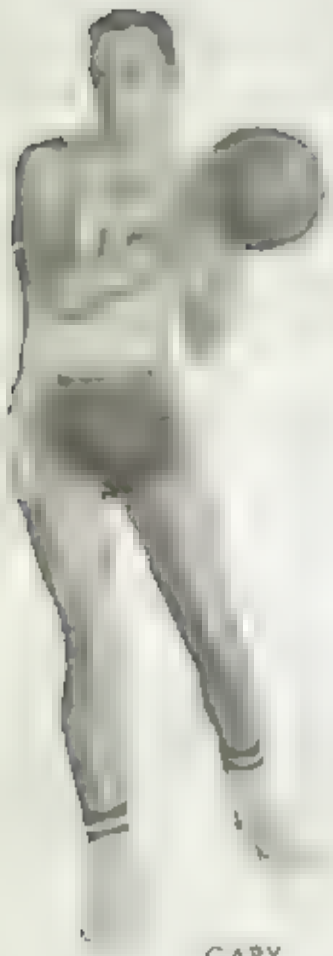
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First Row: Dave DeWall, Curt Albertie, Rog Sikkenga, Co-Captain, Fred VandenBrand, Co-Captain, Morris Ringelberg Second Row: Jay Milkamp, Jay Tans, Alvin Wagenmaker, Bill Heethuis, Gord Madema, Jim Woessies, Eddie Douma

Braves

The Braves were a greatly improved team this year. They lost only two games, ending the season with a 16-2 record. Under Coach Ken Niemeyer the Braves won the reserve crown in the 4-C league with a 6-0 record. This is the first trophy a reserve team has won for our school. From the type of ball the Braves played this year it looks like a good future for the Warriors.



Under the capable coaching of Mr. Walcott, the Warriors, this year, again had a great season. The team compiled a 16-2 record, which is the best record a Warrior team has ever had in this school.

The Warriors had four starters back from last year and the team was more balanced than it had been previously. All five of this year's starters were seniors and will not be back to bolster next year's team.

The Warriors again traveled to Lansing and in the State Finals met Kalamazoo Christian. The Comets from Kalamazoo took the State Title in an upset of the Warriors by 4 points. However, the Warriors fought hard and though they hated to give up the championship they were glad the crown went to a fellow Christian School.

All five of the starters were placed on All State teams. All Journey Teams, or received honorable mention. Larry Weesies was ranked one of the top fifteen players in Western Michigan and appeared on TV.

WE	THEY	
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49	30	South Christian
52	44	Holland Christian
60	62	Unity Christian
56	43	Caledonia
60	51	Holland Christian
62	37	Catholic Central
55	29	Montague
55	57	Kalamazoo Christian
71	47	Catholic Central
71	27	South Christian
69	26	Reeths Puffer
61	51	Kalamazoo Christian
71	47	Whitehall
58	40	Unity Christian
62	40	Montague
62	42	Lakeview
59	30	Manistee

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SCORES

WE	THEY	
60	41	Montague
77	41	Hesperia
61	13	Scottville



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Hands off



What's it all about?



For much?



Warriors Go

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Somebody get it



It's me!



Hot and furious



Whose ball?

SCORES

WE	THEY	
61	35	Harrison
13	20	Coleman
57	49	Montrose



Just again



Two points?



At arms



Group and me



Get it see



Big Boy?

State



Don't fight boys



Contact plus



Blocked!



And he's off!

SCORES

WE	THEY	
62	45	G. R. Lee
58	46	Grosse Pointe St. Paul
59	63	Kalamazoo Christian



A move!



Under scores



Lee's turn





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Merle



Dane



Linda



Barb



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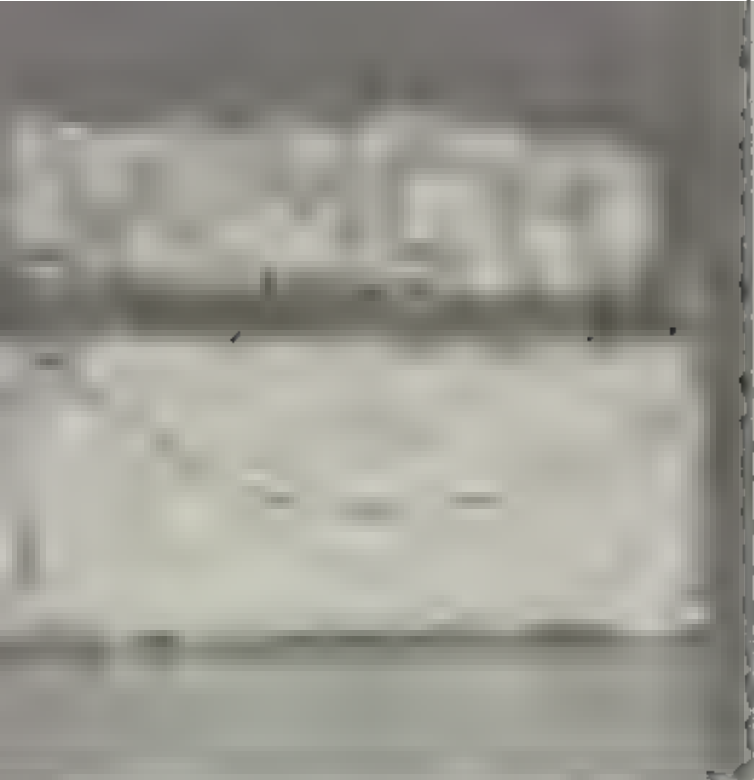
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Homecoming this year took on a new aspect with the competition strong as the four classes competed for the award for the best float. At left, the Freshmen's. At right, the Sophomores



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At left, Juniors
At right, Seniors, which took the prize





Reflections

*' . . that these days
should be remembered . .*

Esther 9:28

As we reflect on the past year we recall many daily episodes which, when added together, tell the story of a momentous year.



Most of the time was spent on study?



But food was also necessary



Who's helping whom?



Must be snack time



Time out for sock out



Who's on the other end?



One of the high points of the year was the Senior-Junior Banquet, enjoyed by all who attended.



Many hands make light work.





The fem-invite of the year was the Harvest moon, where many new friendships brewed.



I didn't know they had cars in those medieval days



The choir expressed the spirit of Christmas in their annual candlelight service



The atmosphere sparkled with warm friendship even though the theme was "Winter Wonderland."



New interests were found



Parling is such sweet sorrow



This doesn't happen very often



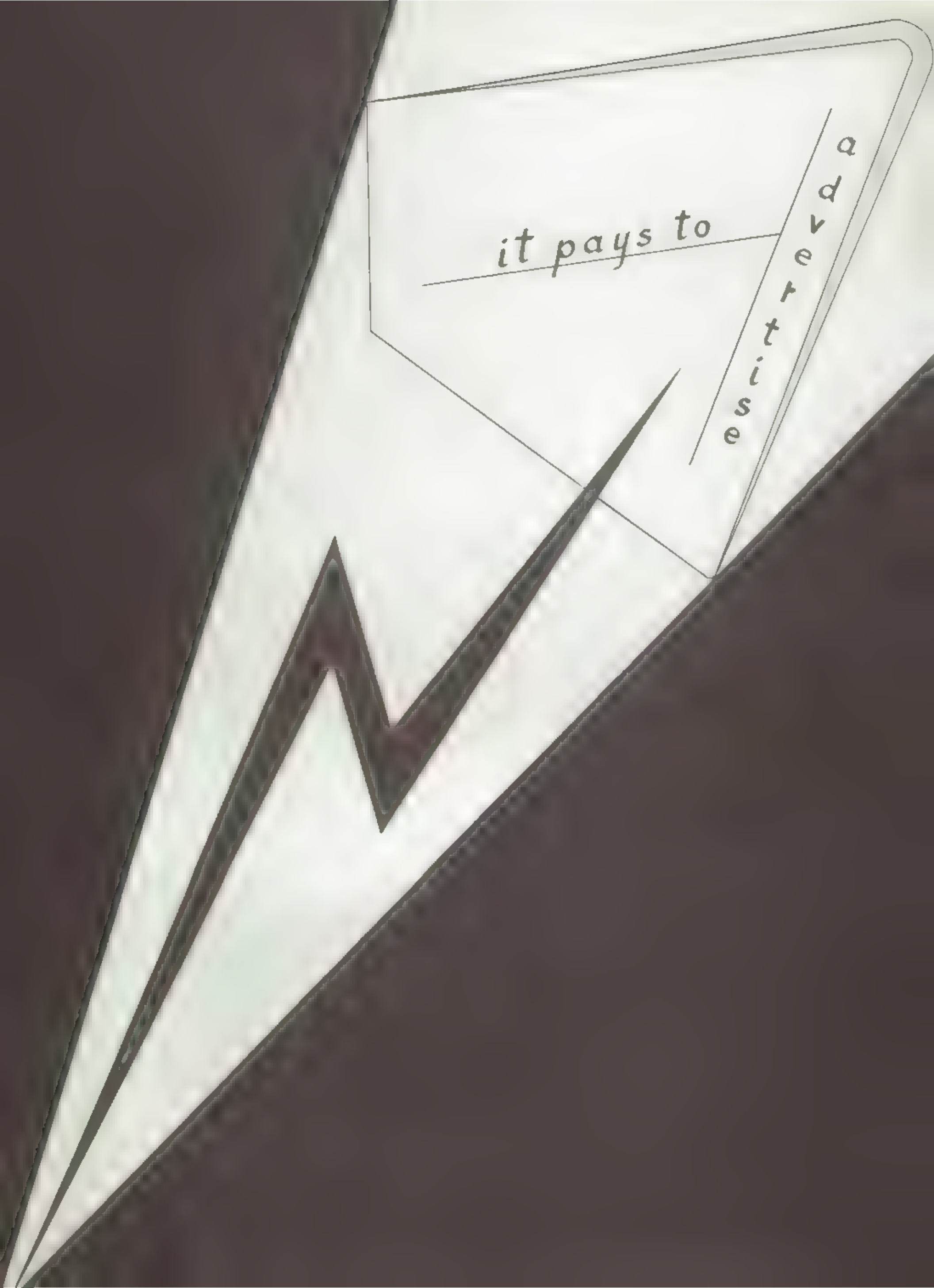
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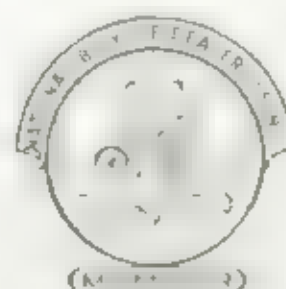
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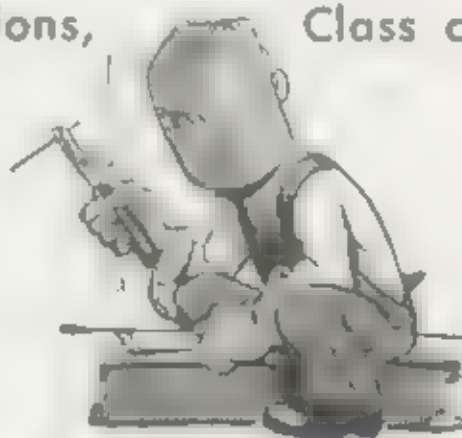
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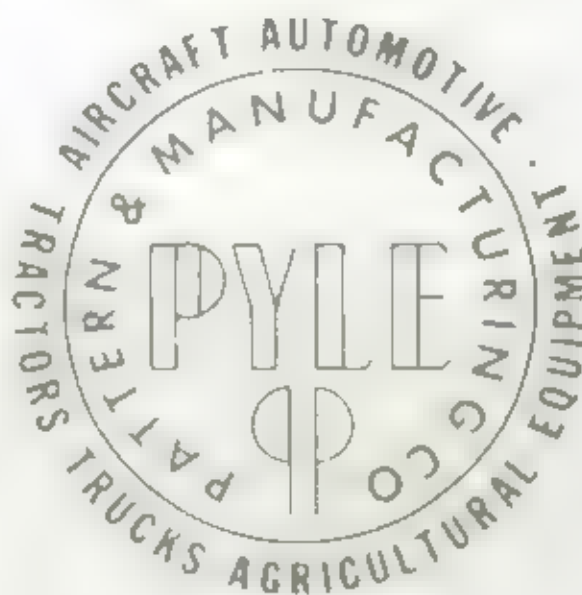
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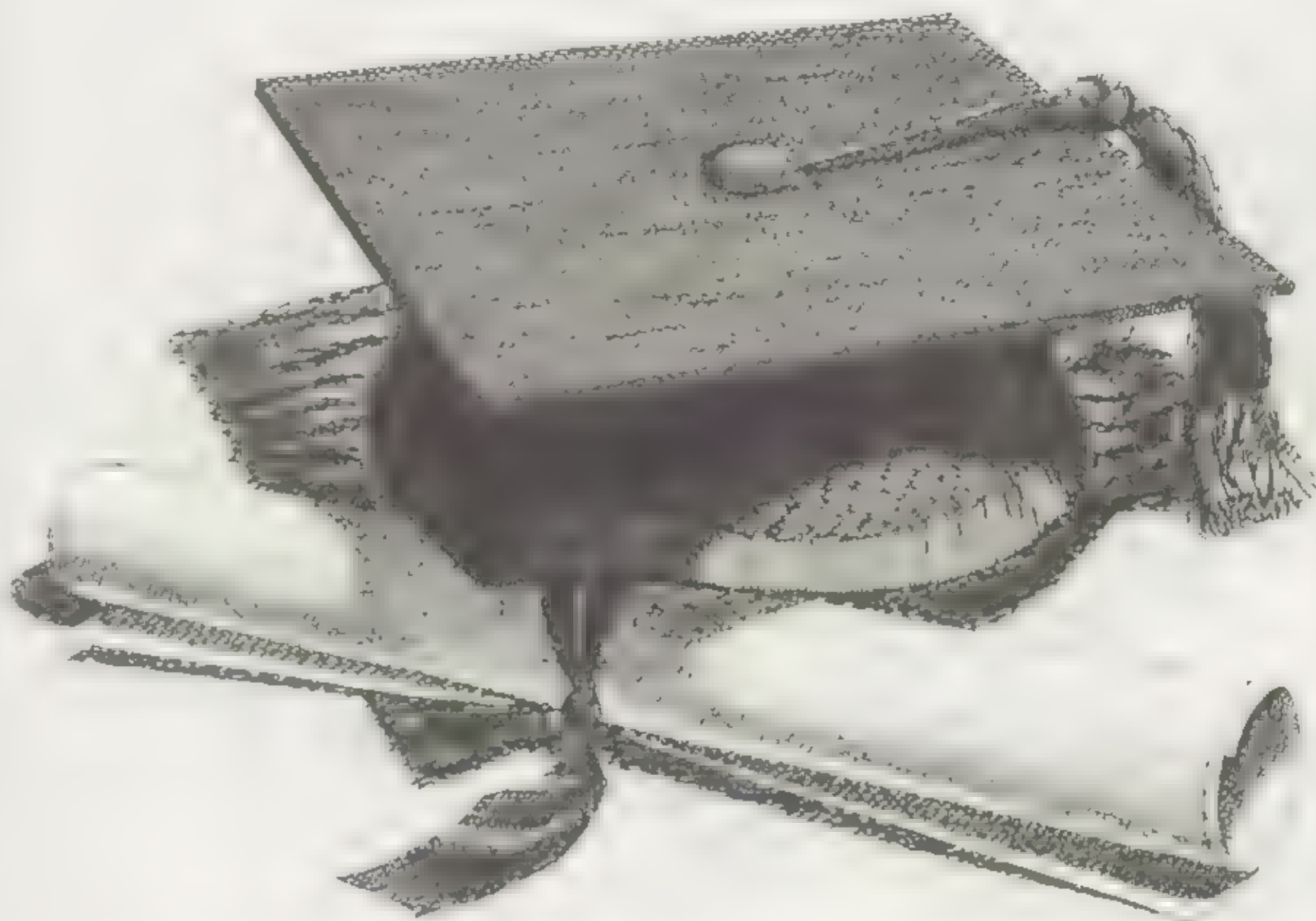


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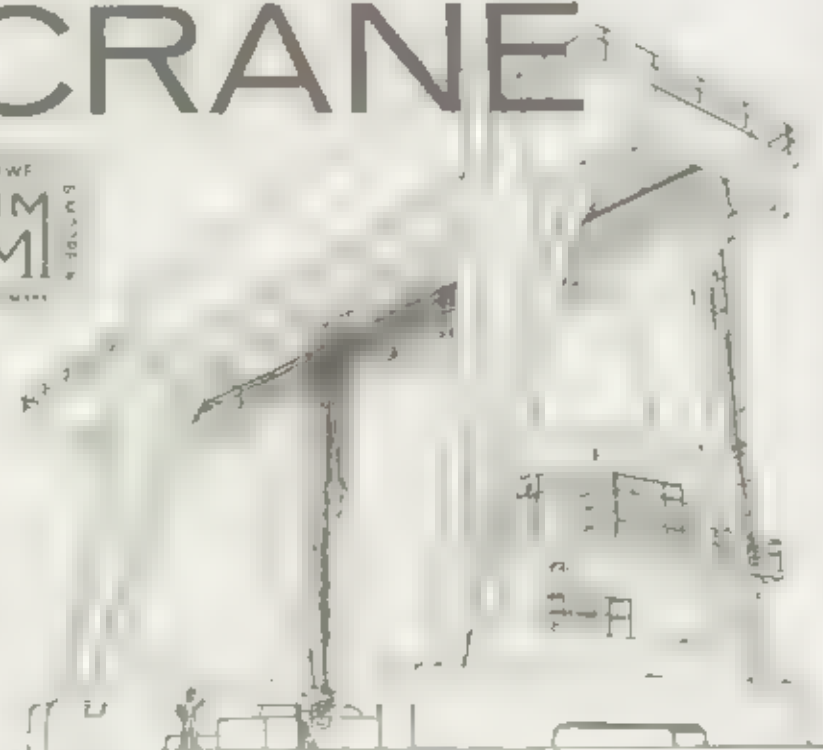
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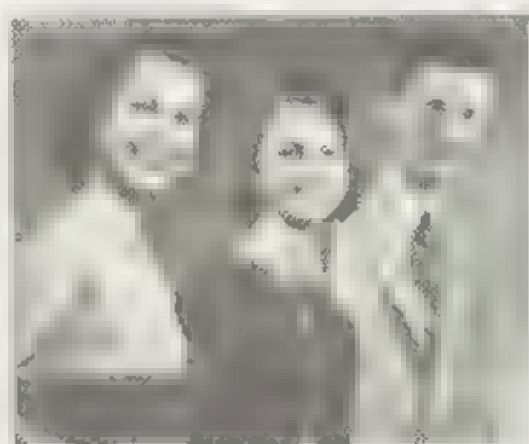
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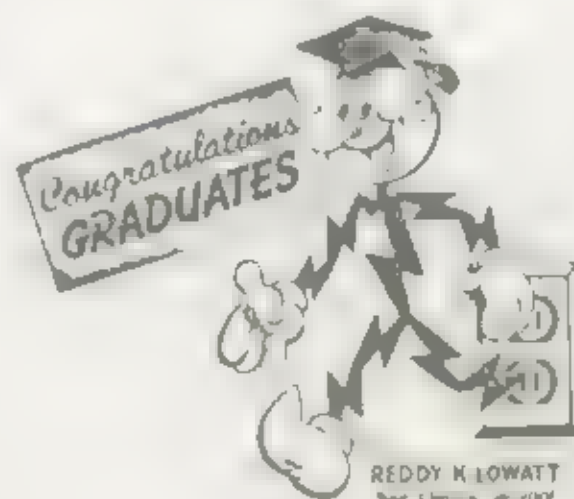
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